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BY ...H. ROBINSON

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...ees To Sell ...e Butter ...Week-End

...rces of Appomattox ...ill be selling Apple ...riday and Saturday in ...Kings Market and ...Market. ...ds from this annual ...ll go to Camp Virginia ...Bedford County for ...retarded and handi- ...ildren. The Appomat- ...es will sponsor a child ...mp this year. ...Butter will be sold for ...ar. Support the local ...this project, just one ...any fine things this ...tion does for Appomat- ...ty.

C of C Membership Drive Underway

Tommy Matthews, Chairman of the Membership, (left), and J. Franklin Vaughan, (right), President of the Appomattox County Chamber of Commerce, are shown above discussing the new Appomattox County C of C brochure . . . You Are The Key . . .

Chairman Matthews says the membership drive is now underway and the Chamber would like to have as many new members as possible, either individual or business, from now until the Annual Membership Dinner - Meeting set for April 18th. If you interested in a membership, you are asked to contact Tommy Matthews, Jim Pugh, Floyd Williams or Franklin Vaughan.

The new brochure denotes that as a member You Are The Key in opening the door to a greater Appomattox County. The key to a successful Chamber of Commerce effort is highlighted by the participation of the members in the various efforts. The brochure helps in answering some of the questions about the Chamber of Commerce in Appomattox. Some major areas of concern are working for improved transportation services and facilities, representing the business interest in state and federal legislature, serving as a "front door" to visitors and new residents, development of area efforts toward improving community appearances and stimulating economic growth through service to existing industry and new firms.

Firemen Answer One Fire Call

During the week of March 18th, volunteers of the Appomattox Fire Department responded to only one fire call.

On March 24th, at 3:30 p.m., two units and five men answered a call for a brush fire.

ACHS Band Ranks High At Band Festival

The Appomattox County High School Band, under the direction of Frank W. Coffey, traveled to Robious Junior High School in Richmond on March 16th, where they participate in the Region III Band Festival.

After performing before three out of state judges, the band was given one superior rating, and two excellent ratings, thus giving the band an overall rating of "excellent".

The band played three pieces for the judges, Kaddidlehipper March, warm-up march; Grecian Theme and Dance, judges choice; and First Suite In Eb for Military Band, conductors choice. All the pieces were Grade 5 music, the next to the most difficult music made available for high school bands.

3rd Civil War Institute To Be Held In Fredericksburg

The Appomattox Civil War Institute which has been held in Appomattox for the past two years has been shifted to Fredericksburg, Virginia for 1974.

Virginia Tech officials gave as their reason for making the change - Fredericksburg is closer to the more densely populated areas, thus more people could possibly be attracted. An agreement has been developed with Mary Washington College whereby students can be housed and fed in college facilities, and participation at Appomattox never reached potential.

The Appomattox Civil War Institute was a graduate credit course designed for teachers of Virginia history. This year the institute will be billed as the VPI & SU Civil War Institute.

J. A. Smith, Extension Agent, who had worked very closely with this off campus graduate course stated that he regretted that Appomattox lost the Institute but because of low attendance the change was understandable.

It is felt that Appomattox may be the point of one-day visit by the Institute this summer.

Officers Installed By Eastern Star

Appomattox Chapter No. #10, Order of the Eastern Star held its installation of officers on March 22, 1974. The officers installed were Lois Williams, Worthy Matron; Robert Morris, Worthy Patron; Colleen Hout Associate Matron; Samuel Doss, Associate Patron; Cheryl Corvello, Conductress; Bea Hudson, Associate Conductress; Ola Morris, Treasurer; Virginia Ferguson, Secretary; Ellen O'Brien, Chaplain; Helen Faye Coleman, Marshal; Christine Dickerson, Organist; Lena Eversole, Adah; Pearl Hamilton, Ruth; Etta Inge, Esther; Colena Roberts, Martha; Mildred Richardson, Electa; Louise Plunkett, Warder; and Abbott Coleman, Sentinel.

The installing officers were Ellen O'Brien, Mary Jane Haley, Pearl Torrence, Jessie Carwile, and Blanche Conner all Past Matrons and Fred Roberts, Past Patron.

Raiders Open Baseball Season

The Raiders of Appomattox County High School opened their baseball season on Tuesday of this week when they played Altavista in the first district game at the Athletic field at ACHS.

The Raiders will meet Brookville in their second game at 4:30 p.m. at the ACHS athletic field on Friday, March 29th.

Fans are invited to come out and watch this fine baseball team in action.

Jim Echardt is the coach of the Raiders Baseball team for the season.

Lions Club Will Meet Tonight

The Lions Club of Appomattox will meet tonight, Thursday, at 6:45 p.m. at Maudes Restaurant.

A very interesting program will be presented by Kenneth Hudgins, Executive Director, Old Dominion Eye Bank and Research, Inc. Sight conservation has long been a major project of the Lions Club and every member will want to be present.

King's Markets To Install Computer System

King's Markets, Inc., the largest independent retail grocery chain in central Virginia, has ordered a Burroughs B 1712 computer system, valued at $90,000.

Ralph J. King, Chairman of the Board, President and Chief Executive Officer of King's Markets, Inc., said the computer system will be used for applications such as payroll, inventory control, expense distribution and general ledger, including accounts receivable and accounts payable.

The B 1712 will be installed at King's Markets, Inc., headquarters, 409 Bay Street, Lynchburg.

The first King's Market was a opened in Appomattox, Va., in 1961. Today, there are 19 King's Markets: seven in and near Lynchburg, two in Altavista, and one each in Brookneal, Halifax, Gretna, Crewe, Bedford, Collinsville, Amherst, Danville and Victoria, with a "Short Stop" convenience market located in Appomattox.

Future plans call for market openings in Staunton, Blackstone, Forest and Charlottesville.

King's Markets, Inc., annual revenue for 1973-74 is projected at $35 million, according to Dan Judd, Treasurer and Controller. The supermarket chain has approximately 400 employees.

Appomattox County School Board Approves Budget For 74-75 Session

Total Budget Set At $2,365,864.00

Since the Constitution of Virginia was revised and became effective in 1971, there has been an effort on the part of the General Assembly to provide equal educational opportunities for youth throughout the Commonwealth. It was a strong feeling then and is still a strong feeling today that a student should not be penalized educationally because of where he lives in Virginia.

As required by the New Constitution of Virginia, Standards of Quality were established by the State Board of Education and adopted in August, 1971. These standards were revised and enacted by the General Assembly for the biennium beginning July 1, 1972. The standards were further revised and enacted by the General Assembly for the biennium beginning July 1, 1974.

The Standards of Quality and Objectives give direction to school districts throughout the Commonwealth. Standards are established for personnel, for instructional materials, for educational programs for planning and management as related to the school system, the schools and the classroom. As an example, under program standards each locality is required to provide vocational training to ensure that students who plan to enter the world of work will have acquired skills to enable them to be employed. Programs in special education are required under the Standards of Quality program.

To meet these standards the General Assembly approved a budget to finance education for the biennium beginning July 1, 1974 which requires the State and the locality to appropriate a minimum amount of money for public education. The localities' share is based on a composite index. True value of property, personal income, taxable retail sales, student population and total population are used in determining the index. The index for Appomattox County is 42.5. This essentially means that for every dollar spent for the general operation of the school system, 58c comes from the State and 42c comes from the locality. The required minimum expenditure for general operation per pupil is set at $687.00 unless a locality can prove to the State Department of Education that the Standards of Quality can be met at a lower expenditure per pupil.

The budget for Appomattox County school for 1974-75 is based on the minimum expendi-

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Raiderettes Honored By Junior Woman's Club

The Appomattox Junior Woman's Club honored the "Champion" Raiderette basketball team, cheerleaders, coaches and guests with a banquet at the Parkway Restaurant on Monday evening.

Receiving top honors at the banquet, shown above left to right, Mary Louise McCraw received the trophy given by the Times-Virginian and presented by Billy Thompson for being named Most Valuable Player; Sue Moore received the trophy given by Appomattox County High School and presented by Mrs. Louise Martin, Coach, for Outstanding Sportsmanship; Mary Jane Smith received the Best Offense Player trophy given by the Farmers National Bank and presented by Mrs. Loretta Layne; Trish Book received the Best Defense Player trophy given by the Fidelity National Bank and presented by Mrs. June Chenault; and Teresa Smith received the Most Improved Player trophy given by the Junior Woman's Club and presented by Mrs. Betsy Carter, President of the club.

Frances Avery and Beverly Davidson served as co-chairmen for the arrangements for the annual banquet. Mrs. Betsy Carter, President of the Junior Woman's Club welcomed team members, cheerleaders, coaches and guests and introduced Lloyd Walton, Division Superintendent of Appomattox County schools, who was guest speaker for the evening.

The Junior Woman's Club presented Mr. Walton with a gift of appreciation; presented a plaque to the team and to Appomattox County High School for the second year that was accepted for the school and team by Cecil Tillery, principal at ACHS; they presented a gift of silver to Mrs. Louise Martin, coach of the Raiderettes; and gave small trophies to all members of the team.

Mrs. Martin recognized people who have been supporting the team and have been behind them all the way, giving special recognition to her assistant coach, Miss Mary Libby Tolley, and presented awards and certificates to both cheerleaders and basketball players. She remarked that this Raiderette team had done all there was to be done in girls basketball and had made her the happiest coach in the State of Virginia. She told girls on the team that she could only hope that they had learned to play the game of life as they had played basketball.

In remarks made by Superintendent Walton, he told the girls that it is most important to realize that it is not if you win or lose that really counts but how you play the game and that they, as a team, had put forth united determination and sportsmanship that all spectators could be proud of knowing that this team comes from Appomattox. He further stated that even if you are on the right track you'll get run over if you just sit there...and the Raiderettes certainly didn't just sit there, they got the job done. Another cliche mentioned by Walton was that no chain is stronger than its weakest link. He remarked that he had witnessed team effort, team spirit, cooperation and saw no one player wishing to out-shine the others and even from the bench came the utmost support for the team and with coaches like Mrs. Martin and her assistant, Miss Tolley, being there either pulling the team or pushing them, all girls really

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County Development Corp. Sets Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Appomattox County Development Corporation will be held Wednesday evening, April 17, at 6:30 p.m. at Jeanne's Coffee Shop, J. A. Smith, President announced Monday.

Mr. William E. Lowe, Vice President Thomasville Furniture Industries, Inc., who has been named manager of the Thomasville plant here will address the group. For many Appomattox folk this will be their first opportunity to meet Mr. Lowe.

This meeting is open to anyone. Dues are $5.00 per year. Check should be made payable to Appomattox Development Corporation and mailed to O. H. Tolley, Jr., Pamplin, VA.

The only other business for the evening will be to set the number of Directors and their election.

Smith pointed out that this was a "Dutch Treat" dinner and reservation should be made by calling his office (352-8244) by Friday, April 12.

TFI Personnel Office To Open April 2nd

Effective Tuesday, April 2, 1974, the Personnel Office of Thomasville Furniture Industries, Inc., Appomattox plant, will be open daily from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the plant site.

Persons interested in employment opportunities in this new plant should stop by the Personnel Office or call 352-8118.

Thomasville Furniture Industries, Incorporated is an equal opportunity employer.

Mayor Proclaims Mar. 31–April 6 - FHA Week

Appomattox Mayor Henry B. Pack, center above, signed a proclamation on Friday declaring the week of March 31 - April 6, 1974, as Future Homemakers of America Week. Local chapters are planning various activities in observance of National F.H.A. Week in Appomattox.

Pictured above with Mayor Pack are Kay Stratton, right, chapter president; and Mrs. Gale McCraw, chapter advisor.

Tournament Date Changed

The F.R.C.C. Golf Activities Committee has announced that the annual member-member tournament will be played on April 20 and 21, rather than Easter week-end as previously announced. Members will be given additional time to secure a partner and register for this event. New deadline for registrations will be Sunday, April 7th. Participants still have a choice of morning or afternoon play on Saturday; however, if you want to play in the afternoon you should sign up immediately. Morning play will begin at 8:30.

We again remind you of the opportunity to secure a V.S.G.A. handicap card for $1.00. The V.S.G.A. issues from 10,000 to 12,000 cards each year, and this is their only source of income. All you need to do is fill in a score card each time you play 18 holes of golf and deposit the card in the metal box at the No. 1 tee. Handicap Chairman, Tony Guthrie, will do all of the work and see that you get your card. If you have any questions about this see or call Tony. A handicap card is required for entry in some area tournaments.

Farm Bureau To Have Meeting April 20th

The Appomattox County Farm Bureau is having a covered dish supper and apple pie contest on April 20, 1974 at 7:00 p.m. at the Woodman of the World Building in Appomattox.

Speaker for the program during the evening will be Representative W. C. "Dan" Daniel of the Fifth Congressional District.

The Pork Producers of the county and the Farm Bureau will provide the meat with the pork producers doing the cooking. Entertainment is planned.

The Women's Committee is sponsoring a Defensive Driving Course beginning April 16th. Please be sure to check your newspapers or with any of the following committee for details: Mrs. Richard Krantz, Mrs. J. D. Gilliam, Mrs. H. B. Jones, Mrs. John Hix, or Mrs. R. K. Martin. Support this event.

Need baler twine? Send order and check (124.00 per bale) to the Farm Bureau Office, Appomattox.